

10/591147

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IAP5 Rec'd PCT/PTO 30 AUG 2006  
Mail Stop PCT

Intl.  
Appl. No. : PCT/JP2005/004263  
  
Applicant : Ryoichi IMANAKA et al.  
  
Intl. Appl.  
Filed : March 4, 2005  
  
TC/A.U. : Not Assigned  
  
Examiner : Not Assigned  
  
Dkt. No. : TAM-066  
  
Cust. No. : 20374

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 30, 2006

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the fee and examination on the merits  
of the above-identified patent application, please amend the  
application as follows: